REMARKS

Applicants request reconsideration of the Application in view of the Amendments and Remarks stated herein. Claims 1-20 have been cancelled, and claims 21-40 have been newly added. The abstract has been rewritten to comply with the format indicated by the Examiner in the office action. No new matter has been added.

Claim 21 recites "the power controller further operable to determine a new power configuration according to a change in the use mode during an active communication session, where the new use mode is different from the previous use mode," and claim 32 recites "detecting a second use mode from a plurality of possible use modes during the same communication session; determining a second power configuration for the wireless communication device according to the second use mode; and applying the second power configuration to the signal to be transmitted during the same communication session. The Phillips reference does not disclose adapting the power configuration of a wireless device to a new use mode during a single communication session. Independent claims 21 and 32, and dependent claims 22-31 and 33-40 are in condition for allowance.

Therefore, Applicants respectfully requests that the rejections of these claims be withdrawn, and that this application be passed to issue.

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